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Emerson College

Founded 1880

Boston, Massachusetts

We Dedicate . . .

Once in a while we encounter some one who leaves a mark on our lives so profound and penetrating that we are never quite the same afterward. In our search for solid stability in a tottering, neurotic world, that person often furnishes the raft to which we cling before we reach our own strength. We, the Class of 1954, have found encouragement and inspiration from one such person in our own faculty. Our development in his classroom has transcended the narrow, pedagogical requirements, for he has abandoned conventional methods in his efforts to stimulate active thought and opinion on controversial issues. Governed by a sincere faith in the individual's prerogative to free expression despite the scorn of popular opinion and guided by a determination to raise the cultural level beyond that of the intellectual pygmy, he has strengthened our belief in ideas we might have squelched. By his own admission he is a rebel — a professional debunker. We, however, can see beyond this humble self-effacement; for with quickened appreciation we realize that here is a modern frontiersman, a crusader and fearless critic of the accepted evils of our times. In the shadowy gloom of the wave of anti-intellectualism and glorification of the low brow he has kindled the beacon of truth and understanding.

Fully conscious of our obligations and responsibilities as citizens in a free society and newly prepared, by his example, to accept them, we gratefully dedicate our Year Book to . . .

Dr. Solomon Lipp



DR. S. JUSTUS MCKINLEY has served as President of Emerson College since December, 1952. The spirit and traditions of Emerson College are well known to Dr. McKinley, since he served as a member of the faculty from 1933 to 1946. During the brief period in which he has served as President, three major changes have taken place at Emerson College . . . WERS, Emerson's college-owned and operated FM station has been increased to 20,000 watts. The station can now be heard within a radius of fifty miles. New studios have also been added to the rapidly expanding Broadcasting department. Television courses in Emerson's own new, fully equipped television studios are now being offered. The Samuel D. Robbins Speech Clinic, sponsored by the Women's Committee opened in September. This clinic provides an opportunity for all Speech Therapy students to observe and teach children with defective speech, as well as serving as a center to which anyone needing speech therapy may come.

Without the aid and endeavors of Dr. McKinley, none of these new additions to Emerson College could possibly have been completed. In one year, Dr. McKinley has succeeded in enlarging the facilities of Emerson College to a tremendous degree.

Dr. McKinley's warm and friendly personality has endeared him to the student body, and each of us feels that in addition to having gained an outstanding leader, we have each found a true and sincere friend.





Mrs. Ruth S. Maxfield

Dean of Women

MRS. RUTH SOUTHWICK MAXFIELD has served as counselor for women at Emerson College since the position was created two years ago. Having been a member of the faculty for over eighteen years, she is well acquainted with the customs and traditions of Emerson College. Any girl having personal or academic problems may go to Mrs. Maxfield for guidance and advice.

Mrs. Maxfield has always shown a warm interest towards the students, and is regarded with respect and devotion by all.

Mr. John W. Davis

Dean of Men

MR. JOHN W. DAVIS, professor of Social Studies, serves as counselor for men at Emerson College. A philosophical nature enables him to better understand the problems of the college student. His qualifications for this position stem from his academic background, as well as from his personal experience. His intellect, foresight, and integrity make him admired and respected by the entire student body.



Faculty





Front: Miss F. Crowley, Mrs. R. Maxfield, Mrs. G. Kay, Mr. C. Bender, Dr. S. McKinley, Mrs. J. Mitchell, Miss C. Perry, Mr. C. Dudley, Mr. J. Davis.
 Rear: Dr. W. Knickerbocker, Miss Pray, Miss Nowack, Miss L. Moncey, Mr. P. Joyce, Mr. J. Eichrodt, Mr. W. Siple, Mr. R. Frye, Mrs. C. Fraser, Dr. D. Parkhurst, Miss E. Riddell, Mr. C. Hunkins, and Mr. L. Nicole.

BROADCASTING DEPARTMENT

Charles W. Dudley
 Gerry Laffin
 Elizabeth Kilham

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Solomon Lipp
 John W. Zorn

LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT

Dorothy H. Parkhurst
 Solomon Lipp
 Hans Kaser

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Elsie Riddell
 William Hultgren

SPEECH

Coleman C. Bender
 Frances M. Crowley
 June H. Mitchell
 William G. Clark
 Madelon Hambro
 Philip Joyce
 Luice Moncey
 Barry Regan
 Kenneth C. Roman

DRAMA DEPARTMENT

Gertrude B. Kay
 Leo Nickole
 Francis Mahard
 Carlwin A. Hunkins, Jr.
 Anne de Coursey
 Jack Stein

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

Ruth S. Maxfield
 John Eichrodt
 William S. Knickerbocker
 Horace Reynolds
 Elliot Norton

PHILOSOPHY

Rowland Gray-Smith

FINE ARTS

Walter Siple

PSYCHOLOGY

A. A. Roback
 John W. Davis

SCIENCE

Richard Frye

SOCIAL SCIENCES

Richard D. Pierce
 S. Justus McKinley
 John W. Davis



ELEANOR M. ALTMANN
Editor in Chief



MARSHALL B. C. BURDAY
Art



MARILYN A. WALSH
Advertising



HARRIET LEVINSON
Literary



MARILYN F. CALIRI
Photography

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Class Officers



HAIG DER MARDEROSIAN
President



MARILYN WALSH
Vice President



MARILYN CALIRI
Secretary



NANCY VAILLANCOURT
Treasurer



JOHN QUINCY ADAMS, JR.

B.A. Degree
Broadcasting Major

Forever on the go . . . always a laugh . . . reliable worker . . . at once casual and earnest . . . tongue like a trip hammer . . . sincere and bent on success

ACTIVITIES: Sophomore Tea 2; WECB 2; WERS 2, 3, 4; Phi Alpha Tau 3, 4.

KENNETH MORRISON ALBRIDGE

B.A. Degree
Broadcasting Major

A warm welcome for all . . . eager sports enthusiast . . . congenial smile . . . easy going personality . . . fine, friendly fellow

ACTIVITIES: Student Christian Association 1; WECB 1; Choir 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Most Valuable Player 4; Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Secretary 2; Rho Delta Omega 2, 3, 4, 4; WERS President 3, 4, Sports Director 3; Senior-Faculty Basketball Game 4.





ELEANOR MAXINE ALTMANN

B.A. Degree
Broadcasting Major

A human dynamo . . . engaging personality . . . Emerson's Sophie Tucker . . . vitally interested in people . . . ambitious and amicable . . . one of the brightest . . . witty, winsome, and well-liked

ACTIVITIES: Freshman Tea Committee 1; WECB 1, 2; Dance Drama 2; Sophomore Hazing Committee 2; Interclass Dance Committee 2; Posture Award 2; Zeta Phi Eta 2; Public Productions 2; Sophomore Class President 2; Allocations Committee 2, 3, 4; Student Activities Committee 2, 3, 4; Hillel 1, 2, 3, President 3; Student Government Vice-President 3; Usher at Commencement 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; WERS 3, 4, Chief of Women's Activities 4; Scholarships 1, 2, 3, 4; "Who's Who Among Students in Universities and Colleges 4; Emersonian Editor-in-Chief 4; Dean's List 2, 3; Posture Ribbon 4.

DAVID PITT BARRON

B.A. Degree
Speech Therapy Major

A little moustache . . . striving to reach the height of perfection . . . never without his briefcase . . . diligent and industrious . . . always willing to help out

ACTIVITIES: Mitchell College 1, 2; Drama Club 1, 2; Student Council 2, Treasurer 2; Language Club 1, 2. Emerson College 3, 4; Phi Alpha Tau 3, 4; Berkeley Beacon 4; "Liberty Under Law" SS-53; Student Christian Association 3, 4; WERS 4.





MARSHALL BENNET

CUTLER BURDAY

B.L.I. Degree
Broadcasting Major

*"Mickey" . . . radio enthusiast . . . versatile
. . . penthouse parties . . . artistic talent . . .
loves to sing . . . personality plus*

ACTIVITIES: Freshman Tea Committee 1;
WECB 1, 2, Chief Announcer 1, 2; Hillel 1,
2, 3; Choir 1, 2, 4; Phi Alpha Tau 1, 2, 3, 4,
Secretary 3, Vice-President 4; Junior Prom
Committee 3; WERS 3, 4, Chief of Special
Events 4; "Who's Who Among Students in
American Universities and Colleges 4; Emersonian Artist 4; Dean's List 4.

MARILYN FRANCES CALIRI

B.A. Degree
Broadcasting Major

Sympathetic, sentimental, and serious . . . well-mannered and charming . . . deceptively reticent . . . unassuming . . . our Gal Friday

ACTIVITIES: Freshman Tea Committee 1;
WECB 1, 2, Traffic Chief 2; Newman Club
1, 2, 3; Phi Mu Gamma 2, 3, 4, Secretary 2,
3, President 4; Pan Hellenic Council 4;
WERS 4, Continuity Chief 4; Senior Class
Secretary 4; Emersonian Photography Staff
Editor 4.





MARGOT HELENA CHIN

B.A. Degree
Speech Therapy Major

*A charm of her own . . . quiet efficiency . . .
voice of a nightingale . . . sweet, sincere, sympa-
thetic and shy*

ACTIVITIES: Newman Club 3, 4; Interna-
tional Friendship Scholarship 3.

A. WARREN CLAPP, JR.

B.A. Degree
Broadcasting Major

*"Sandy" . . . a bulletin board landmark . . .
avid sports fan . . . full of fun . . . reliable and
ready to please*

ACTIVITIES: Baseball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3,
4; Rho Delta Omega 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 3,
Vice-President 4; Athletic Association 2, 3,
4, Treasurer 3, 4; WERS 3, 4; News Chief 4;
Senior-Faculty Basketball Game 4.





JEAN EVELYN DI MUZIO

B.A. Degree
English Major

*Charm coupled with intelligence . . . friendly
. . . a captivating smile . . . combines work
with fun . . . refined and genteel*

ACTIVITIES: Student Christian Association
1, Secretary 1; Girls' Basketball Team 2;
Cheerleader 2; Publications Committee 1, 2.

MARIE THERESE DUNN

B.A. Degree
English Major

*A page out of Vogue . . . clever conversational-
ist . . . photogenic . . . flirtatious brown eyes . . .
French berets . . . poised and pleasant*

ACTIVITIES: Berkeley Beacon 1; WECB 1, 2;
Newman Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 3;
Debating 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 3, President 4;
Zeta Phi Eta 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Commit-
tee 3.





MARY PALLOTTA FRASCARELLI

B.A. Degree

Drama-Speech Major

*Starry-eyed beauty . . . artistic temperament . . .
lover of the arts . . . never a frown . . . vivacious,
bubbling effervescence*

ACTIVITIES: Newman Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Public Productions 1, 2, 3, 4; Convocation 1, 2, 4; Phi Mu Gamma 3, 4; Junior May Queen 3; Senior Recital 4; Rho Delta Omega Dream Girl 4; Emersonian Advertising Staff 4.

MAURICE FRIEDMAN

B.A. Degree

Broadcasting Major

*"Buzz" . . . lover of pranks . . . a ladies' man
. . . enthusiastic and ambitious . . . a smooth
manner . . . tireless worker*

ACTIVITIES: Freshman Tea Committee 1; Basketball 1; WECB 1, 2, 3; Public Productions 2; Sophomore Hazing Committee 2; Berkeley Beacon 2, 3, 4; Phi Alpha Tau 1, 2, 3, 4; Hillel 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4; WERS 2, 3, 4.





JOAN HARPER GALE

B.A. Degree

Drama Major

*A breath of spring . . . refreshing air of naivete
 . . . angelic beauty with undertones of deviltry
 . . . true and loyal friendship . . . white orchids
 crown her every inch a queen*

ACTIVITIES: Freshman Tea Committee 1;
 Cheerleader 1; Public Productions 1, 2;
 WECB 3; WERS 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee 3;
 Student Christian Association 1, 2, 3, 4;
 Junior Prom Queen 3; Zeta Phi Eta 4;
 Emersonian literary staff 4.

RAYMOND PAUL GENDRON

B.A. Degree

Speech Therapy Major

*Papa of two . . . gregarious, good-natured . . .
 always a cheery smile, no matter what the
 weather . . . fun to be around . . . charming
 personality . . . just a wonderful guy*

ACTIVITIES: Colby College; Tufts College;
 Newman Club 1, 2, 3, 4. Emerson College
 3, 4.





DAGA LUCY HAMMOND

B.A. Degree
Speech Therapy Major

The charm of Aphrodite . . . neatness personified . . . sparkling eyes . . . a mixture of intelligence, culture, sincerity, and poise

ACTIVITIES: Guilford College 1, 2; Dramatics Club 1, 2; President 2; Student Government 1, 2. Emerson College, 3, 4.

JOEL ARNO HOLMBERG

B.A. Degree
English Major

Simplicity . . . a touch of naturalism amidst a throng of artificiality . . . a ready smile, and blush . . . devoted dramatist . . . nice to have around

ACTIVITIES: Fitchburg State Teachers College 1, 2; Emerson College 3, 4; Choir 3, 4; Choir Production 3, 4; Freshman Showcase 3; Playwright's Workshop 3, 4; Public Productions 3, 4.





CHARLOTTE LOTHROP-BROWN
HORTON

B.A. Degree
English Major

*Curly blond hair . . . subtle humor . . . pert
and alert . . . proud of her Scottish ancestry . . .
frank and fun-loving*

ACTIVITIES: Student Christian Association
1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Tea Committee 1;
Sophomore Social Committee 2; Phi Mu
Gamma 3, 4, Treasurer 4; Public Produc-
tions 2, 3, 4.

MARCIA IONE JONES

B.A. Degree
English Major

*Cute, quiet, and congenial . . . industrious
worker . . . sweet and understanding . . . tal-
ented actress . . . practical and pleasant*

ACTIVITIES: Newman Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior
Prom Committee 3; Public Productions 2, 3;
Zeta Phi Eta 2, 3, 4.





SONDRA JOYCE KLARIN

B.A. Degree
Speech Therapy Major

Soft-spoken . . . natural attractiveness . . . a quick and pleasing smile . . . reflects an aura of college life

ACTIVITIES: House Council 1, 2, 3; Treasurer 2, 3; Zeta Phi Eta 2, 3.

BARBARA ANN KRONBERG

B.A. Degree
Psychology-English Major

A remarkably rare combination of qualities . . . delightfully different . . . from the heights of sophistication to the antics of a bouncing babe . . . tops on our list

ACTIVITIES: New Jersey College for Women 1, 2; Drama Club 1, 2; English Club 2, 3; House Treasurer 2; Emerson College 3, 4; Publicity Committee 3; Hillel 3, 4; Emersonian Literary Staff 4; Public Productions 4.





HARRIET ANN LEVINSON

B.A. Degree
Speech Therapy Major

An extraordinary mixture of intellect, art and practicality . . . frank and sincere . . . droll wit . . . high aspirations . . . perfectionist . . . like Auld Lang Syne, never to be forgotten

ACTIVITIES: University of Wisconsin 1, 2; Wisconsin Players 1, 2; Debating 2; French Club 1, 2; Student Union Committee 2; Sophomore High Honors 2; Scholarships 1, 2. Emerson College 3, 4; Hillel 1, 2, 3, 4; Publicity Committee 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; House Council 4; Zeta Phi Eta 4; Scholarships 3, 4; *Emersonian* Literary Staff Editor 4; Dean's List 3.

PATRICIA ALYSON LOVEJOY

B.A. Degree
English Major

True sophistication . . . champagne, black orchids, and Clair de Lune . . . the bewitching beauty of an ebony rose . . . charming, sincere, and diligent . . . a wonderful person

ACTIVITIES: WECB 1; Berkeley Beacon Sweetheart 1; Freshman Tea Committee 1; House Council 1, 2; Vice-President 2; Dartmouth Oral Recitation Contest 2; Posture Award 2; Debating 2; WERS 2, 3, 4; Director of Women's Activities 3; Public Productions 1, 2; Zeta Phi Musical 2; Junior Prom Queen Attendant 3; Zeta Phi Eta 2, 3, 4, President 4; Student Christian Association 4; *Emersonian* Literary Staff 4.





DAVID EMBRET LUNAAS

B.A. Degree

Broadcasting Major

The essence of refinement . . . talented musician . . . thoughtful air . . . intelligent and earnest . . . poised, polished, and personable.

ACTIVITIES: Mitchell College 1, 2; Drama Club 1, 2. Emerson College 3, 4; Phi Alpha Tau 3, 4; WECB 3; "Liberty Under Law" S.S. 53; Student Christian Association 3, 4; Choir 4; WERS 4; "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges" 4.

ROBERT HOWARD MacEWEN

B.A. Degree

Speech Therapy Major

Proud dad of Bobby Jr. . . . a twinkle in his eyes, a smile upon his face . . . devilish charm . . . the will to succeed . . . always welcome

ACTIVITIES: Student Christian Association 2, 3, 4; Choir 2, 3, 4, Choir Production 3, 4.





ANDREW MACMILLAN

B.A. Degree
Broadcasting Major

*Dynamic leader . . . industrious worker . . .
never too busy to lend a helping hand . . . a doer
as well as a thinker . . . suave and debonair . . .
a welcome asset to any group*

ACTIVITIES: Public Productions 1, 2, 3, 4;
WERS 1, 2, 3, 4; Berkeley Beacon 1, 2, 3,
Editor-in-Chief 2, 3; Class Marshal 3; Stu-
dent Activities Committee 3, 4; Allocations
Committee 3, 4; Founder's Day Committee
4; Student Government 4. President 4;
"Who's Who Among Students in American
Universities and Colleges" 4; Emersonian
Photography Staff 4.

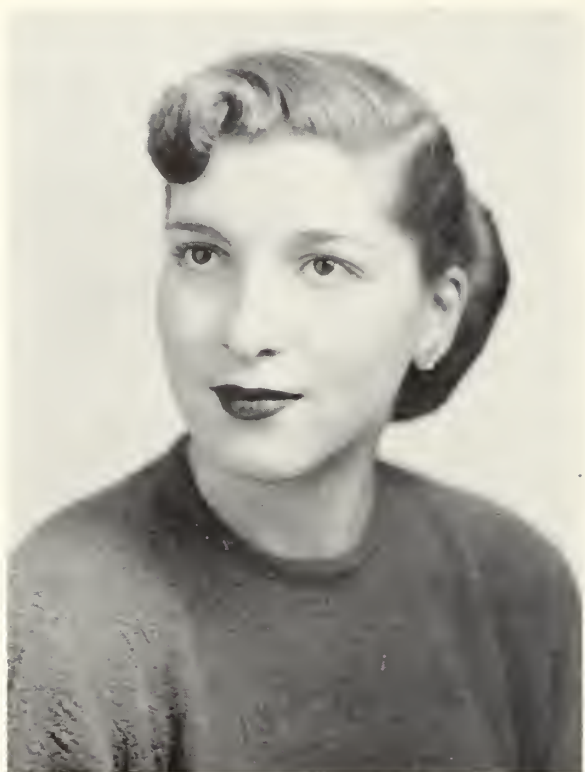
HAIG DER MARDEROSIAN

B.L.I. Degree
Speech Major

*A perfect gentleman . . . obliging . . . diplomatic
. . . jovial and good-natured . . . coffee in the
caf . . . a song in his heart . . . laugh and the
world laughs with you*

ACTIVITIES: Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 3;
Debating 1, 2, 3, Vice-President 3; Junior
Class Treasurer 3; Phi Alpha Tau 2, 3, 4,
President 4; Senior Class President 4;
"Who's Who Among Students in American
Universities and Colleges" 4; President's Prize 4.





HELAINÉ BAYLA ARONSON MILLER
B.A. Degree
English Major

Sweet as a budding rose . . . the picture of a lovely bride . . . gracious and charming . . . happy, carefree, and captivating . . . a kind word for all . . . the frosting on the cake

ACTIVITIES: WECB 1; Freshman Social Committee 1; Sophomore Social Committee 2; Sophomore Hazing Committee 2; Debating 2; Zeta Phi Eta 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 4.

MARY ALICE OLSEN
B.A. Degree
Broadcasting Major

Refreshing vitality . . . a warm smile, a cheery word . . . ability for accomplishment . . . cute, capable, and conscientious

ACTIVITIES: Stratford Junior College 1, 2. Emerson College 3, 4; Choir 3, 4; Choir Production 3, 4; House Council 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Publicity Staff 3; Public Productions 3, 4; WERS 4, Director of Women's Activities 4.





LORELLE MARCIA POULIN

B.A. Degree
Englisy-Drama Major

A helpful hand in time of need . . . determined and witty . . . behind-the-scenes worker . . . infectious giggle . . . lively, light-hearted, and loyal.

ACTIVITIES: Newman Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 2; Phi Mu Gamma 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 3, 4; Choir 1, 2; Public Productions 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Prom Queen Attendant 3; Junior Class Secretary 3.

ARTURS-TALIVALDIS RUBENIS

B.A. Degree
Drama Major

Foreign Intrigue . . . a welcome addition from Latvia . . . aesthetic . . . always a bright "hello" . . . ambitious and eager . . . mirth follows him

ACTIVITIES: Baltic University 1, 2. Emerson College 3, 4; Student Christian Association 3, 4; Public Productions 3, 4.





CAROLE ANN SASLOW

B.A. Degree
Social Studies Major

*Sophistication . . . cocktails by candlelight . . .
a flair for style . . . a man's woman . . . intel-
lectual and self-sufficient*

ACTIVITIES: WECB 1; House Council 1;
Dance Drama 2; Inter-Class Dance 2; De-
bating 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 1, 2, Social Chair-
man 3, Public Relations 4; Debate Awards 1,
2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Dean's
List 2, 3.

JANET SYLVIA SOBEL

B.A. Degree
Drama Major

*A true artiste . . . creative as well as apprecia-
tive . . . one who leads with her soul as well as
her head . . . intellectually stimulating . . . com-
petition for Hayes and Bankhead*

ACTIVITIES: Choir 1, 2, 4, President 2; House
Council 2, Secretary 2; Choric Speech Choir
2; Public Productions 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom
Committee 3; Southwick Award 2, 3;
Berkeley Beacon 2, 4; Hillel 1, 2, 3, 4.





CONRAD STANLEY SPOHNHOLTZ

B.A. Degree

Broadcasting-English Major

*Hearty friendliness . . . versatility . . . ambition
to fulfill aspirations . . . pleasant disposition . . .
music lover . . . a pal to all*

ACTIVITIES: Indiana University 1, 2; Choir 1, 2; Musical Productions 1, 2; Emerson College 3, 4; Public Productions 3, 4. Choir 3, 4; WERS 3, 4, Assistant Program Director 4, Production Manager 4; Dean's List 3.

TED ANDERSON TAYLOR, JR.

B.L.I. Degree

Speech Interpretation Major

Ambition to succeed . . . intellectual and philosophical . . . thirst for knowledge . . . spiritual thinker . . . sincere friendliness

ACTIVITIES: Student Christian Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Sophomore Recital 2, Senior Recital 4.





LOIS SUZANNE THOMPSON

B.L.I. Degree

Drama Major

A touch of the old south . . . thoughtful . . . dependable . . . charming and demure . . . devotion to others

ACTIVITIES: Stratford Junior College 1, 2. Emerson College 3, 4; Choir 3, 4; House Council 4, President 4; Public Productions 3, 4.

NANCY CLAIRE VAILLANCOURT

B.A. Degree

English-Education Major

A toss of tawny ponytail . . . rapid movement of pencil in class . . . unflinching femininity . . . diligent and industrious . . . prim, persistent, and precise

ACTIVITIES: WECB 2; Choric Speech Choir 2; Dance Drama 2; Sophomore Tea Committee 2; Junior Prom Committee 3; Zeta Phi Eta 2, 3, 4. Marshal 4; Newman Club 2, 3, 4; WERS 3, 4; Senior Class Treasurer 4; Emersonian Literary Staff 4; Dean's List 4.





MARILYN ANN WALSH

B.A. Degree
Broadcasting Major

Fore-runner of the poodle cut . . . how about a party? . . . gay and sophisticated . . . gracious and genuine . . . poised, precise, and purposeful

ACTIVITIES: Freshman Tea Committee 1; Dance Drama 1, 2; Posture Award 1, 2; Sophomore Tea Committee 2; WECB 1, 2, Music Chief 2; Newman Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Phi Mu Gamma 3, 4, Secretary 4; WERS 3, 4, Music Chief 3, 4, Assistant Program Director 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Usher at Commencement 3; Senior Class Vice-President 4; Emersonian Advertising Staff Editor 4.

ARTHUR JOSIAH WENZEL, JR.

B.A. Degree
English Major

A warm smile and twinkling eye . . . conscientious student . . . artistic temperament . . . well-liked by all . . . sincere friend

ACTIVITIES: WECB 1; Student Christian Association 2, 3, 4; Choric Speech Choir 2; Alpha Pi Theta 2, 3, 4, Recording Secretary 2, 3; Public Productions 2, 3, 4; Theatre House Manager 2, 3, 4; Public Relations 3, 4; WERS 3, 4, Publicity Committee 3; "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges" 4.





Our Commencement . . .

WE SENIORS are prouder than usual in producing our Year Book this year. Not only does our edition include the regular, expected sets of pictures and candid, but we also have added an innovation to this annual project by the inclusion of this special section devoted entirely to Senior activities. Our desire to have these events, usually lacking in our own copies, covered in the 1954 *Emersonian* has led to the delay in our publication date. We hope that you will appreciate our motives and will enjoy this Commencement section as much as we who have left. On the first Wednesday following our spring vacation, we substituted the Chapel Service with Cap and Gown Day. Our Class Advisor, Mrs. Maxfield, led us in our official induction as prospective graduates. This dramatic ceremony was the first of the several exclusive Senior activities, which culminated in our final day of honor.

The last week of classes was inordinately hectic for us. Tradition ruled the day that Wednesday, when in the company of the Juniors we drove off to the Cape to celebrate Sneak Day at Hyannis and Dennisport. After the rain of the first part of the month, we particularly enjoyed the clear, warm day. Hand-Me-Down Day was a combination of solemnity and dignity mixed with pride and gaiety. We turned over the duties of our offices, dedicated the Year Book, and received awards. We took time out for our final examinations along with the rest of you; and then returned during the last week before Commencement. Our classmates performed in our senior class play "The Lady's Not for Burning", the production running for three evenings.

On Saturday we participated in the Baccalaureate Service at the First Church in Boston. This formal occasion was marked by a stimulating address by Dr. McKinley. In the afternoon several of us entertained the guests with moving and skilled performances in the Senior Recital. Later that same evening, our Banquet was a marked contrast to the sober serenity of the morning. Our parents joined with us in this last festive occasion, at which time our Class Will and Prophecy were read.

At last on Sunday, the thirteenth, at 2:30 o'clock, we began our final Senior activity, the one toward which we had worked together for four years. We marched in to our Commencement at the Old South Church, sat down as a body to hear our own Senior speaker as well as our guest, and then separately rose to receive our degrees and diplomas.

We earnestly hope that you, who will soon follow us, will enjoy as fine a round of events in your Senior year as the Class of 1954.

Cap and Gown





Hand Me . . .

A NEW STUDENT GOVERNMENT PRESIDENT



NEW DEBATE PRESIDENT CHALLENGED . . .



← A HELPING HAND



. . . Down Day

THE MOST VALUABLE PLAYER



MISS CARRIAGE OF 1954 →



WHO'S WHO CERTIFICATES

Class Prophecy

Time: June 13, 1984

Place: Emerson University Alumni Memorial Hall, Executive Suite C.

Scene: An elegantly decorated dining room overlooking the Charles.

Demi-tasse is now being served to the guests. At the head table, a distinguished middle-aged gentleman, resplendent in a shiny black tuxedo, rises to introduce the speaker of the evening. A hush falls as his perfectly modulated voice fills the room. He is none other than that top T.V. artist, America's number one Master of Ceremonies and star of his own T.V. show, "Connie's Comedy Hour," Mr. Conrad Spohnholtz.

CONRAD: Hello everybody! It's a great pleasure to see so many familiar faces gathered here tonight to celebrate our 30th annual college reunion. Without further ado, it gives me great pleasure to introduce the speaker of the evening, a man whom we all remember from our old college days, now completing his fourth year as President of Emerson University, Dr. Haig der Marderosian, B.A., M.A., Ph.D., P. O. E. (Emerson)

HAIG: My friends — As I look out over this sea of familiar faces, nostalgic memories of years gone by come flooding back to me. It seems like only yesterday that we were strolling through the corridors of what was then Emerson College, before the great fire of '63. Little did we know on Graduation Day in June of 1954, that in only nine short years our beloved three buildings would crumble into burning ashes, along with so many other historic landmarks. But the Emerson tradition to "fight back" was with us. Fortunately our sagacious board of trustees had had the foresight to heavily insure the college, and with the 75 million dollars thereby received, we were able to buy up the sites of the former Harvard and M.I.T. Universities, as well as the Old Sheraton Plaza Hotel, and the State House. And so, by an ironic act of fate, what was formerly a small specialized college, has now grown into a big institution of learning, "Emerson University".

Students now enjoy a fifteen mile campus along the Charles, and have access to world-renowned facilities. Among these are the new national network television channel, operated solely by the University students; the largest Speech Therapy Clinic in the east, which aids children from all over the United States, Canada, and South America, and our Theater Guild, situated in the former New England Mutual Hall, which was recently awarded the Boston Drama Critics award for outstanding performances. Emerson now offers Schools of Medicine, Law, Music, Physical Education, and Oil Refinery. Our Athletic Department recently received world acclaim when our football team defeated Notre Dame, 84-0, in the Boston Bean Bowl. This year we are proud to announce that our discus team is taking part in the Olympic Tournaments in Denmark.

Every one of us connected with Emerson University takes pride in the prestige and accomplishments of our great center of knowledge, made possible by an amazing stroke of good fortune.

Looking out into the maze of faces before me, I feel compelled to personally acknowledge several of the many outstanding personalities here this evening. Seated at the head of the table to my left is Marilyn Walsh, owner of the renowned Walsh Walking Studios for Young Gentlemen, whose motto is, "Walk Your Way into Your Man's Heart". Next to her, is Andy Macmillan, ex-senator from Massachusetts, who's now campaigning for the governorship. His famous slogan is on the lips of thousands, "Bill in with Macmillan".

At the table to my right is Carole Saslow. She has just returned from a nationwide lecture tour. Her most popular subject was, "How to be Loved by All". Down a few places is Eleanor Altmann, the Sophie Tucker of 1984, star of her own television show, "Mime Mindel and her Manischewitz Mealtime Menus".

At the back table, I see Harriet Levinson who was recently awarded the title of "Career Mother of the Year." She proves to the world that fame and family can mix. Harriet's the nation's outstanding authority on the Preservation of the Polliwog. Standing at the back is Art Wenzel, who has just returned from his fifteenth space flight to the planet Neptune. When asked for a statement, he rocked the national tourist trade with his profound observation, "It's hard to breathe up there." Seated by the vase of hollihocks at the table to my right is Pat Lovejoy, America's leading female ambassador to Afghanistan, whose successful policy is, "To charm them, be charming".

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Beside her is Joan Gale, the author of that current best-seller, the gospel of the grandmothers, entitled, "How to Preserve those Endearing Young Charms". There are many more famous faces and personalities seated amongst us, and I take the greatest of pleasure in again conveying to you all the warmest personal well wishes of the University. The Class of '54 will never be forgotten.

Class Will

We, the members of the SENIOR CLASS OF EMERSON COLLEGE, in the City of Boston, County of Suffolk, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, do ordain and establish this to be our last will and testament. Having successfully completed our senior year with all prom tickets, library fines, and year books paid for, we bequeath not money, but the following items to these beneficiaries: —

- To Dr. McKinley, our beloved President: all our sincere gratitude for his understanding and friendship, and for making our last year an unforgettable one.
- To Mrs. Maxfield, our most wonderful adviser and friend: a group of inspired modern Barrymores and Bernhards.
- To the Broadcasting Department: an automatic record cataloguer, and a diversified continuity file for troublesome programs.
- To the Drama Department: a collection of authentic period costumes from the Boston Museum of Fine Arts, and an air-conditioned theatre complete with sloping floor and push-back seats.

To the Speech Department: a sound-proof studio for P. O. E. students, for debaters, our best wishes for a successful year; and to therapy students, a fully-equipped playroom for not-so-patient patients.

To the Language Department: a month's tour of France, Germany, Italy, and Spain for all B.A. candidates.

To the English Department: words, words, and more words to be distributed free of charge to the needy.

To the President of the Class of 1955: a trunkful of headache powder.

To the Editor of the 1955 *Emersonian*: a treasure chest of funds and family of elves for assistance.

To the Choir: harmony, harmony, and more harmony.

To the Juniors: advance warning: save every penny, you'll need it.

To the Sophomores: a catalogue of hazing techniques, slightly used.

To the Freshmen: a guardian angel, to keep them out of harm's way, the clutches of the sophomores.

To the Athletic Association: a fully-equipped campus gym with seating capacity for the entire student body.

To the Caf: an automat, complete with steam tables and bus boys. *Drawn, signed, and sealed this first day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand, nine hundred and fifty-four within the confines of this Emerson College in Boston, Commonwealth of Massachusetts.*

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Senior Banquet



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Senior Superlatives



Most Likely to Succeed
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Most Ambitious
Marshall Burday



Most Versatile
Andrew Macmillan



Most Talented
Janet Sobel



Most Personality
Eleanor Altmann



Most Typical Emersonian
Haig Marderosian



Most Typical Emersonian
Marilyn Walsh



*Senior who got the Most out of
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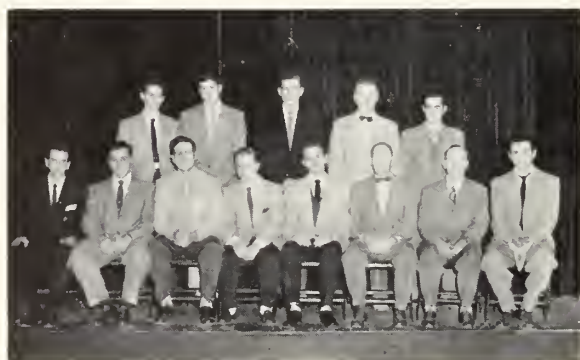


RHO DELTA OMEGA

RHO DELTA OMEGA began its first semester activities under President John Patton with the second annual Dream Girl Ball, held in the Theatre with music by Fred Aloj's Orchestra. Larry Borzumato assumed the Presidency during the latter half of the year, during which time R.D.O. held the annual smoker at the YD Memorial Club to welcome prospective pledges. That weekend was also marked by the annual reunion of active and alumni members of the fraternity. Congratulations to new R.D.O. members Mort Glovin, Ralph Potzko and Tony Borrelli, who were among those present at the wind-up of the year's activities, a Beach Party held in Neponset.

PHI ALPHA TAU

PHI ALPHA TAU, a National Honorary Speech Arts Fraternity, was founded at Emerson College in 1902 with the Alpha Chapter. The object of P.A.T. has been to promote the fraternal fellowship and mutual helpfulness among members and the development of true ideals in the speech arts, within the school. This was true during the past year when Phi Alpha Tau sponsored a hayride in the Blue Hills, a Carol Sing on Beacon Hill, a dinner, an alumni Homecoming, and the highlight of the year, the Joseph E. Connor Memorial Award given to Bill Cunningham, noted radio commentator. The officers for 1953-54 were: Haig der Marderosian, Rayis; Marshall Burday, Nayib Rayis; Robert Moris, Katib; Willard Simmons, Dabit; and Daniel Gillette, Sgt. of Arms.



ALPHA PI THETA

WITH PRESIDENT WARREN MATTESON at the helm, assisted by Minny Manolios, Vice-President, John Sienko, Recording Secretary and Charlie Koza, Treasurer, the Theta boys pitched in to aid the Zeta Girls in their musical production. Always willing to serve in the interests of the college, Alpha Pi Theta observed a busy and satisfying year.

Sororities

ZETA PHI ETA

ZETA PHI ETA is a National Speech Arts Fraternity for Women, and this year, our Alpha Chapter has initiated seventeen new members. Our officers included: President, Pat Lovejoy; Secretary, Marge Eilenberg; Treasurer, Helaine Miller; and Cameo reporter, Pat Copeland. Zeta's outstanding achievement was the production of the original music review, "We're Here to be Made Ladies". Our annual project was a great success. The Zeta Alumni group presented Emerson with a new television monitor, and Zeta actives contributed to the television fund. Zeta Phi Eta members have always been very prominent in school activities and with the fine group of girls initiated this year, will continue to uphold the high standards of speech arts at Emerson College.



PHI MU GAMMA

FOUNDED IN 1898, our sorority is a National Professional Speech Arts Fraternity for Women. Leading us this year were: Marilyn Caliri, President; Lorelle Poulin, Vice-President; Marilyn Walsh, Secretary; Charlotte Horton, Treasurer; and Rena Aborn, Historian. The regular members include: Diane Ganzel, Mary Olsen, Mary Frascarelli, Jo Anne Vallier, Carole Behrens, Sara Zide, Suzanne Thompson, Betty Martin, Edna Ward, Elinor MacNeven, and Dawn Plaisted. We have participated in many extra-curricular activities. Remember Betty Martin, Lolly Poulin and Marilyn Walsh in the *Berkeley Beacon* show; and the excellent performance of Jo Anne Vallier and Betty Martin in "Happy Birthday"? Highlights of the year included a Sadie Hawkins Hayride, and caroling on Beacon Hill.



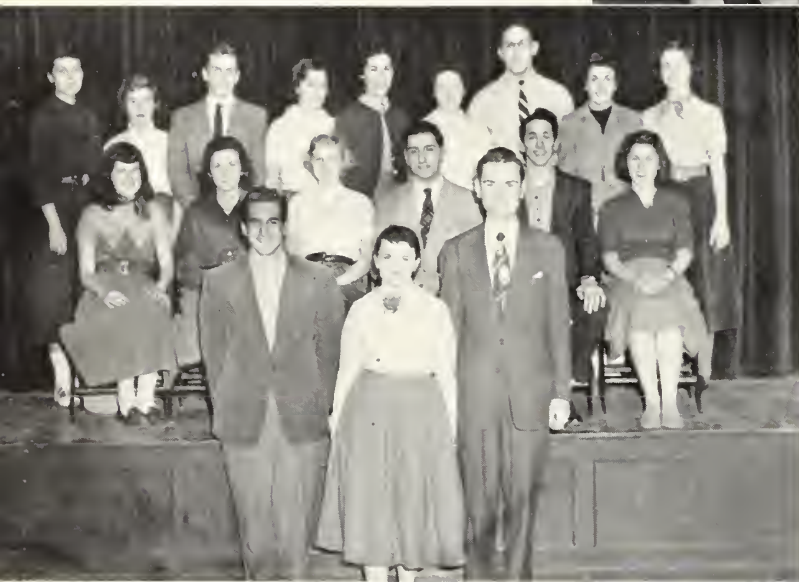
KAPPA GAMMA CHI

KAPPA GAMMA CHI, founded at Emerson College in 1902, is the only social sorority at the school. Officers for the past year were: President, Dione Pazakis; Vice-President, Carlene Rogers; Secretary, Carol O'Neil; and Treasurer, Jane McLeod. After a gala party in April, the following girls were selected as pledgees: Naomi Soca, Jean Ann Myers, Lenore Seffer, and Constance Watts. Kappa was very proud of Carlene Rogers, May Queen of 1954.



STUDENT CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

THE STUDENT CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION has been organized in order to afford the Protestant Students of Emerson College the opportunity to meet and to enlarge their religious horizons and to engage in Christian Service. In view of this purpose, S.C.A. has sponsored some of the weekly chapel services. Ministers of various faiths have come to speak to the group. S.C.A. held a Christmas Party for thirty under-privileged children on Saturday, December 12, 1953. The officers this year were: President, Carlene Rogers; Vice-President, William Schimmel; Secretary, Charlotte Horton; and Treasurer, Arthur Wenzel.



NEWMAN CLUB

DURING THE PAST year, Newman Club has as in the past, continued to serve as a spiritual and social organization for the Catholic members of the student body. Special thanks to Dick O'Connor, President; Betty Aruda, Vice-President, and Pat Wehkoja, Secretary and Tony Borrelli, Treasurer, for guiding the members throughout a full and successful year.

HILLEL

THE YEAR 1953-54 saw the birth of a new and more active Hillel organization at Emerson College. The new group, under the guidance of Buzz Friedman had a membership increase of 93% over last year. The Emerson Hillel took full advantage of the facilities at the new Hillel House on Bay State Road. Emerson's "Dramatic Reading Night," in March, was a very successful affair. Those participating were: Ronald Lane, Abby Langer, Honey Grocer, Jackie Cohen, and Roberta Lyons. Congratulations on a job well done are in order for: President, Buzz Friedman, Vice-President, Chuck Albert; Secretary, Elaine Kaye, and Treasurer, Judy Cohen.



Choir



THE EMERSON CHOIR, under the able direction of Mr. Grover Oberle, had a very active year. The choir participated at President McKinley's inauguration, weekly chapel services, and convocation exercises including Baccalaureate and Commencement. During the Christmas season the choir conducted their own convocation, the all-school Christmas Carol Sing. Officers for the year were: Elinor MacNeven, President; Vice-President, Betty Martin; Secretary-Treasurer, Nan Hellegers; and Librarian, John Chase.

Debate



THE EMERSON debating team proved themselves to be capable, alert, and skillful speakers during the past year, winning honors for themselves as individuals and for the college. Through our Forensic Council, the name and fame of Emerson have been made known in many sections of the country.



S c r i b e

THROUGH HARD WORK and careful planning of the Student leaders most interested, Scribe became a reality in December of 1953. College spirit certainly contributed to this project. It provides a good outlet for the writing talent in the college, and adds to the advantages of an Emerson education. The student body and faculty have now accepted Scribe as a welcome addition to the other various organizations within the College. Scribe looks forward to continued success on the firm foundation established during this initial year.

B e r k e l e y B e a c o n



THIS YEAR was the eighth consecutive year of publication for the *Berkeley Beacon*. The staff of the *Beacon*, during the past year, has tried to voice the opinions and ideas of the student body. The readers were led to base their beliefs and judgments upon objective analysis of prevailing situations. Errors in judgment were made, but the staff did learn to overcome individual differences, a lesson for which they are grateful. They are certain that on returning in September, it will be to a stronger, more progressive, and wiser *Berkeley Beacon*.

Athletics



Departments

Broadcasting



W E C B

HEADED BY RONALD HALL, 2nd semester Program Director, and John McDuff, formerly Program Director and current Student Advisor, the closed-circuit campus station of Emerson College served once again as a training operation for underclassmen broadcasting students, and as a source of listening pleasure for the entire student body. The highlights of the W E C B year were the W E C B Benefit Party, which raised money for the purchase of records; and the March of Dimes Marathon conducted by Ken Lindenbaum and Russ Blood, earning a letter of commendation from the Infantile Paralysis Foundation. "This is W E C B — first in training and service."

Broadcasting

W E R S

COMPARATIVELY LITTLE can be added here to what has already been said about the progress achieved during the course of the last year, progress which has increased the transmitting facilities of W E R S, and increased the prestige of the college. The people pictured below are only some of those whose efforts and interests were exerted in behalf of the station. And the full significance of our remarkable achievements both here and in our television studio development is yet to come. Thus the entire Emerson family can look back with pride and ahead with bright anticipation to greater, more effective communication.





“Street Scene”

THE DRAMA DEPARTMENT, while not observing as marked changes as the other departments in the college, proved itself once more to be a vital, indispensable organization. Few physical additions were made with the exception of the luxurious padded doors leading into the theatre, but the advances in technique and production strategy demonstrated in the performance of “Lady in the Dark” by the Advanced Theatre group more than adequately described the progress within the department. The well-handled, skilled, and artistic performances of “Dinner at Eight”, “Thunder Rock”, “Playwright’s Workshop” and “Street Scene”, to mention only a few are truly indicative of the growing knowledge that Emerson can and truly does maintain its always high standards in the world of drama.

Drama

Drama

"Lady in the Dark"





Speech

THE VALUE TO therapy students and the gain in reputation for the college can scarcely be over-estimated by the addition of our speech clinic, fittingly named for Dr. Samuel Robbins. The efforts of the Women's Committee to aid this most worthy of all enterprises can only be measured in the help and improvement which the many patients of Boston and vicinity found here. Perhaps in no other department within the school are the students so thoroughly prepared to meet the demands of the world beyond college life. Students majoring in every field at Emerson have adopted a family pride in this project of the speech department, the clinic.

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Underclassmen

Juniors



OFFICERS OF THE Junior Class for the year 1953-54 were: Dan Gillette, President; Vice-President, Ken Crannell; Claire Brown, Secretary; and Carlene Rogers, Treasurer. The main social event of the college year was the annual Junior Prom held at the Parker House. This year the class instituted a new tradition at Emerson in the form of a white gold tiara to be worn by the Prom Queen at each succeeding Junior Prom. Their fund-raising project, the sale of Christmas cards, was a great success.

Sophomores



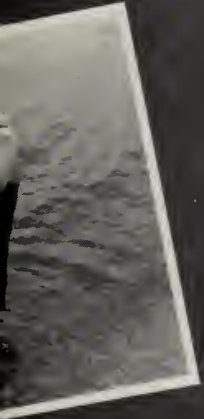
THE SOPHOMORES, under the direction of John Nadeau, President; Lawrence Borzumato, Vice-President; Secretary, Nan Whelpley, and Mimi Cozzens, Treasurer, perpetuated the annual Sophomore Dance which was started last year. Emerson can look forward to a banner year ahead with these energetic classmates.

Freshmen



BOB CATHCART AS President; Edward Blotner, Vice-President; Cindy Crane, Secretary; and Alex Wolfson, Treasurer, led the newest additions to the Emerson family during the past year. The freshmen distinguished themselves admirably by their efforts in many of the school's organizations.





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 house,
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 the blowing of dry dust and stray paper,
factor, sweat, the stench of stale oranges,
dung, last ass-pod of the universe,
mysterium, acid of sulphur,
the pusillanimous, raging;
plunging jewels in mud,
 and howling to find them unstained;
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